

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Jian Cao et al

Serial No.: 10/826,618

Group Art Unit: 3762

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Examiner: Michael W. Kahelin

For: AUTOMATED TEMPLATE GENERATION ALGORITHM FOR  
IMPLANTABLE MEDICAL DEVICE

**AMENDMENT**

MS: Amendment  
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In response to an Office Action, mailed August 22, 2008, carrying a shortened statutory period of response set to expire on **November 24, 2008** (November 22<sup>nd</sup> being a Saturday), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

The **Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.